

FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1879.

FENCIBLES.

Cheek Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco Good Friday.
City Council to-night.
Cheap Dry Goods, at Rush Strong's.
Plant your beans to-day, if the ground's dry enough.
The Supreme Court is now in session at Jackson, Tenn.
Knoxville will be clear of any kind of court now for a short time.

"The prospects of a good peach and wheat crop continue good," says the Jonesboro Journal.

Col. Tudor's Patagonian excursion departed from Chattanooga Tuesday, continuing their horseback journey.

Mr. John Dawes has put up a building at Limestone preparatory to going into the chicken and egg business on a large scale.

Mr. Peter Kern's business houses on Market Square were closed yesterday, with crapon on the door, on account of the death of Mr. Kern's mother.

Capt. King increases the reward for the originator of these incendiary fires to \$100 this morning. It is hoped this, together with other efforts, will bring the scoundrels to speedy justice.

The County Court of Roane county has levied a county tax of 39 cents, together with a special tax of 20 cents for liquidating outstanding liabilities, and 10 cents school tax, making a total of 69 cents.

The Chancery Court is not a success as a divorce mill. Out of five cases which were argued in the recent session of the court, a divorce was granted in one case only. Divorce hunters had better go elsewhere.

Large crowds of boatmen arrive on every night's train from Chattanooga, where they have gone on grain boats. They belong to the upper counties, along the Clinch and Powell's rivers, and leave the railroad at this place, going home by the overland route.

Mr. R. L. Watkins, of Chattanooga, as we see from the Times, has presented the Market Street M. E. Church South, in that city, with a fine steel bell weighing 335 pounds. The present was made in memory of his mother, who was 62 years a faithful member of the Methodist Church.

Kingsport East Tennessee: Col. Wm. Cross, of Anderson county, was unfortunate enough to have his boat swamped on Saturday last, at or near Shield's dam, in the Tennessee River, below Kingsport. The boat was loaded with corn and wheat, which was gotten out in a damaged condition and shipped on the Jackson.

Dandridge Watchman learns that the house of Mr. Cannon Lockhart, living near Mr. Heron, Jefferson county, was burned a few nights since. The fire originated from a stove-pipe in the kitchen, and occurred about 10 o'clock at night. Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart barely made their escape with the children, and very little of the household effects.

THE FRUIT NOT ALL EATEN.

John Chumley, Esq., who lives on Beaver Creek, in the 19th district of Knox county, reports that the apples and cherries in his neighborhood were not killed by the recent frosts, and that there will be about a half crop of fine peaches also. This is better news than we get from some localities, but we hope there are many more such favored spots through the country.

New Court House for Blount County. During the session of the County Court at Maryville this week, Messrs. A. R. McBeth, Jas. Waters, S. F. Bell, S. L. Greer and H. S. Catlett, were appointed by the County Commissioners, with full power to act in the premises, make contracts, etc., for the construction of a new court house for Blount county, to replace the one recently burned. These gentlemen are to examine the court houses at Athens, London and other points, and post themselves thoroughly. We understand that they will likely go to work at an early day, and will put up a first class building, which will be an honor to the county.

Personal.

Hon. S. M. Dyer, Representative from Jefferson county in the late Legislature, was in the city yesterday, and gave us a pleasant call.

Chattanooga Times, Wednesday: "Capt. M. D. Bearden, of Knox, and W. C. Shelley, Esq., of Roane county, Representatives of the 1st General Assembly, passed through the city yesterday from Nashville en route to their homes."

Capt. Sam. P. Rowan, of Maryville, was in the city yesterday.

Jonesboro Journal: "Dr. J. P. Park, of Knoxville, was in town last week. He has only one patient in town, but is exceedingly attentive to that one. Our readers may hear more of him at some future day."

Capt. Houston Walker, the popular County Trustee of Sevier county, is in the city on business. He is a most excellent officer, and fully merits the high esteem in which he is held by the people of his county.

Mr. Rush Strong, the enterprising and wide-awake Market Square merchant, returned home yesterday morning from New York. He had a pleasant trip of it, and has laid in an immense stock of attractive and seasonable goods, which are arriving daily.

Don't buy a Stove till you examine the new "CHARTER OAK," at HAWKINS, BUTT, DEPUÉ & CO'S.

THE DESTRUCTIVE ELEMENT.

Caswell's Furniture Manufactory Burned-Incendiary Fire.

The furniture manufactory of Messrs. Wm. Caswell & Co., situated on Clinch street, near the crossing of the Maryville railroad, was destroyed by fire before day yesterday morning. The alarm was given about 3 o'clock, and the fire was well under headway then, rendering it impossible to save anything from the building. It burned with wonderful rapidity, and was almost uncontrollable in a short time. The fire department was out promptly, and certainly did some effective work, and deserve much credit therefor.

One of the steamers was on the ground ready for work in about fifteen minutes after the alarm was sounded, and when both steamers got to work and brought their streams to bear on the building the leaping and maddened flames were soon tempered down and extinguished. It was through this work, and the heroic efforts of the firemen and others, that large stacks of valuable lumber in the yard were saved, and they even saved a pile of very fine lumber, which was right in the midst of the fire stacked up in the lower story of the building.

The building, which belonged to the firm, was an old plank one, not very costly itself. They had, however, a good stationary engine, by which the factory was run, and a quantity of fine machinery. They carried on an extensive business in putting up furniture, etc., to supply their mammoth furniture store on Gay street, and there were at the time of the fire over 4,000 pieces of unfinished furniture in the factory, all destroyed. The machinery, tools, etc., were a total loss, nothing being rescued from the ruins suitable for use.

The property was valued at about \$6,000, or in that neighborhood, and the firm held insurance on it in companies represented by Capt. John M. Brooks to the amount of \$2,000 only. This makes it a serious loss, which falls heavily on one of our most enterprising business firms. This is not all, however. They had employed at the factory about fifteen hands, besides several other dressers and finishers at the store, all of whom are thrown out of employment. Many of the workmen at the factory had their own kilns of tools, all they had to earn a living with, and they were lost.

The dwelling house just across Clinch Street was in imminent peril and the occupants emptied it hurriedly. But for the very damp and rainy state of the weather, and the fire engines, it would certainly have burned. The wind was very high, and, but for the dampness, no doubt other destruction would have resulted. Those fated oil barrels belonging to Rodgers Bros., which are waiting for the finishing of a vault, were also near by again, and had to be moved.

After a thorough investigation we can arrive at no other conclusion than that it was the work of the incendiaries' torch which has been applied so frequently in the city of late. The fire in the boiler had been taken out early the day before to do some work about it, and the building was thoroughly gone through at six o'clock and there was no sign of fire. It was impossible for it to have caught that time of night, except by incendiaries. This incendiary business is growing monotonous and alarming, and there needs to be a few heavy pullings or something of the kind to stop it.

\$100 Reward.

A reward of One Hundred dollars is hereby offered for any information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties guilty of originating any of the fires that have recently occurred in the city—for the arrest and conviction of any incendiary. C. A. KING, ap1879 Chief Fire Department.

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Union and Kingston Presbyteries.

As we see from a communication in the Dandridge Watchman, Union Presbytery met at Spring Place Church, Knox county, on the 3rd of the present month, and was opened with a sermon by Rev. Thos. Roberts. Rev. E. N. Sawtell was elected Moderator, and Rev. Wm. M. Munday, Temporary Clerk. Rev. Mr. Roberts was dismissed to join Kingston Presbytery.

Rev. W. H. Kyle was elected clerical commissioner to the General Assembly at Saratoga, N. Y., on the 15th of May next, and Rev. Isaac Emory was elected alternate. Elder A. A. Blackburn was elected lay commissioner, and Elder E. J. Smith, alternate.

The Presbytery adjourned to meet at Dandridge on the 25th of September next. Says the East Tennesseean: Kingston Presbytery met in the Presbyterian Church at Uxilla, Loudon county, on Thursday evening, the 3rd inst., and organized by electing Rev. D. M. Wilson Moderator and W. B. Reed Clerk.

Owing to the death of Rev. W. B. Brown, Sr., who was Moderator at the time of his death, the Rev. G. S. W. Crawford, of Maryville, preached the opening sermon.

Rev. G. S. W. Crawford was elected to the office of Stated Clerk, made vacant by the death of Mr. Brown.

Rev. Mr. Crawford and Elder Alexander were selected to represent the Presbytery in the General Assembly, which meets at Saratoga, New York, on the 16th of May next, with W. B. Brown as alternate. Clover Hill, Blount county, was selected as the next place of meeting, and the first Thursday in August next as the time.

Everything Goes Wrong

In the bodily mechanism when the liver gets out of order, constipation, dyspepsia, contamination of the blood, imperfect assimilation, are certain to ensue. But it is easy to prevent these consequences, and remove their cause, by a course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which stimulates the biliary organ and regulates its action. The direct action of this medicine on the pains between the ribs and through the shoulder blade, the nausea, headache, yellowness of the skin, furred look of the tongue, and sour odor of the breath, which characterize liver complaint. Sound digestion and a regular habit of body are blessings also secured by the use of this potent restorative of health, which imparts a degree of vigor to the body which is its best guarantee of safety from malarial epidemics. Nervous weakness and over-tension are relieved by it, and it improves both appetite and sleep.

A. O. T. W.

Meeting of the Grand Lodge of Tennessee in Nashville.

The Grand Lodge of Tennessee, Ancient Order of United Workmen, met in Nashville Tuesday, being called to order by Grand Foreman Tully R. Cornick, Jr., of this city. The following is some of the business transacted the first day, as reported in the American:

Among the representatives from the different Lodges present were the following from Knoxville: R. G. Osborne, J. J. Atkins and Jos. H. Sheppard. Jos. H. Sheppard was appointed a member of the Committee on Laws, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the absence of E. F. Eperandieu.

Seven new Lodges are shown to have been instituted during the present year, among them Peabody Lodge, at Knoxville, and Ozone, at Cleveland. Grand Recorder T. H. Everett reported that he had received from charters, supplies, dispensations, per capita tax, certificates, yellow fever relief fund, etc., \$1,617.08; cash on hand at last report, \$2,154.93; total, \$3,772, and disbursed \$4,569.72.

Sixty-seven deaths occurred during the year, and 19 assessments were levied. The Supreme Lodge assumed the payment of the entire yellow fever losses, and up to date \$37,067.61 had been received upon the same, of which the Grand Lodge of Tennessee has paid \$6,799.

The amount received from Tennessee Lodges on assessments was \$48,412; amount received from the Supreme Recorder—contributed—\$37,067.61; total, \$85,479.61; disbursed, \$77,932; balance in the hands of the Grand Recorder, \$8,547.61.

Not a single item of indebtedness remains unsettled on the general fund account, and there are sufficient funds on hand to meet the expenses of the present session of the Grand Lodge.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Tully R. Cornick, Jr., Knoxville, Grand Master Workman; T. F. Perkins, Franklin, Grand Foreman; D. W. Hughes, Jackson, Grand Overseer; T. H. Everett, Nashville, Grand Recorder; J. J. Atkins, Knoxville, Grand Guardian; Sam. A. Taylor, Memphis, Grand Watchman; C. O. Thomas, S. S. Garrett and T. H. Everett, Supreme Representatives.

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Meeting of the Farmers' Convention of Jefferson County.
Pursuant to the call of A. J. Mountcastle, the farmers of Jefferson county met in convention at the Watchman office, in Dandridge, April 7th. Mr. Mountcastle not being present, the convention proceeded to elect N. H. Franklin, President, John M. Meek, Secretary. The following committee was appointed to recommend delegates to the convention which meets in Knoxville, May 20, 1879, viz: J. J. Colie, J. G. Rankin, J. Nat. Lyle, who, after a brief consultation, recommended the following gentlemen as delegates:
G. A. Fain, Jesse Lockhart, Rev. J. R. Birchfield, C. C. Carrey, Daniel Thornton, Elsiea Ferguson, Wilson Birchfield, Eli Fox, W. W. McSpadden, Wm. Zirkle, Elijah Bull, J. A. Nelson, Anderson Caldwell, J. A. Caldwell, B. C. Thornburgh, S. Kennedy, John Loy, Jas. Caldwell, Frank Hayworth, John M. Meek, John H. Caldwell, D. G. Thornburgh, J. M. Meek, A. J. Mountcastle, Ben. Branner, J. O. Betts, S. Rankin, J. L. Colie, J. E. Rankin, D. L. Bettis, W. H. Eadie, P. Taylor, Col. Wm. Moore, A. Carter, H. Tipton, Cal. Bell, C. H. Rankin, Alex. A. Blackburn, Thos. Blackburn, Capt. James Sharp, J. S. Fain, Cal. Johnson, J. F. Rankin. On motion, the officers and committee of the convention were added as delegates, viz: N. H. Franklin, John M. Meek, J. J. Colie, J. G. Rankin, J. Nat. Lyle. The delegates are urgently requested to attend the General Convention.
After appropriate addresses from different members of the convention the following resolutions were adopted:
N. H. FRANKLIN, President.
JOHN M. MECK, Sec.
—Dandridge Watchman.

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